



Louisiana Department of Public Safety
Office of Motor Vehicles
Policy 44.00 Street Cruiser License Plate

Section: 5. Motor Vehicle License Plate Classifications & Requirements

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To view Special Plates: <http://omv.dps.state.la.us/>

Authority:

[R.S. 47:462](#)

[R.S. 47:463.33](#)

To view Louisiana Statutes: <http://www.legis.state.la.us/>

General:

- State law defines "street cruiser" as any automobile or truck twenty-five years old or older which has undergone some type of modernizing, to include modernizing of engine, transmission, drive train, interior refinements, and any other modifications the builder desires, which vehicle is to be driven to events under its own power and is to be used as a safe non-racing vehicle for total family enjoyment.

Eligibility:

- Any vehicle which meets the definition of street cruiser as stated above is eligible for this type plate.
- This type plate is issued to a vehicle and not to an individual; therefore, the plate may remain with the vehicle if the new owner chooses to retain the plate.

Requirements:

- A notarized affidavit attesting that the vehicle qualifies as a "street cruiser" as defined AND a photograph of the vehicle. STREET CRUISER AFFIDAVIT ([DPSMV1811](#))
- A photocopy of the registration certificate of the vehicle on which the plate will be placed if the vehicle is currently registered. OR
- If the vehicle is not registered in the applicant's name, proper title documentation and fees must be submitted along with the request for the Street Cruiser license plate.

Fees:

- \$25.00 - one-time fee, in addition to regular registration fees, due at initial issuance.
- \$8.00 - handling fee due on all transactions except renewals.
- \$3.50 - administrative handling fee due at initial issuance.
- \$3.00 - fee to transfer the plate when the vehicle is sold and the new owner chooses to retain the plate.

Notes:

- Street Cruiser license plates issued prior to September 1, 1996 shall remain lifetime plates.
- Initial requests must be mailed to the Office of Motor Vehicles, Specialized Vehicle Unit, P.O. Box 64886, Baton Rouge, LA 70896. All other transactions can be processed by any motor vehicle office or public tag agent.